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FROM USREP ICAO

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TAGS: PORG, EAIR, ICAO

SUBJ: ICAO - SEPT DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCE ON WARSAW CARGO REVISION

REF: STATE 053268

1. THIS CONFIRMS DILLON/HOYT TELCON THIS DATE. PURSUANT TO INSTRUCTIONS PARA 4 REFTEL, USREP DISCUSSED OVER-ALL CONCERN AND POSSIBLE ALTERNATIVES WITH PRES/COUNCIL (WOULD NOT RPT NOT BE APPROPRIATE TO DISCUSS WITH DIR LEGAL BUREAU.) PRES FEELS THAT IT IS IMPORTANT TO HAVE SATISFACTORY OUTCOME AT DIPLCON SINCE WORK HAS BEEN UNDERWAY SEVERAL YEARS. HOWEVER, RESULT OF DISCUSSION WAS THAT US SHOULD DECIDE WHAT IT WANTS TO DO AND SUBMIT WORKING PAPER FOR COUNCIL ASAP. WP SHOULD (A) SELECT AND RECOMMEND AN ALTERNATIVE TO SEPT DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCE, OR (B) STATE PROBLEM AND SET FORTH VARIOUS ALTERNATIVES (ALONG LINES OF REFTEL) FOR COUNCIL TO MAKE DECISION.

2. HE FEELS STRONGLY THAT SUCH AN IMPORTANT DECISION MUST BE CONSIDERED BEFORE RECESS ON MAR 27. (MAY/COMMITTEE AND JUNE/ UNCLASSIFIED

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COUNCIL SESSION TOO LATE.) WILL REQUIRE FEW DAYS FOR PREPARA-

TION WP AND UNDOUBTEDLY COUNCIL MEMBERS WILL REQUIRE SOME TIME FOR INSTRUCTIONS.

3. GOLD CLAUSE HAS BEEN PROBLEM FOR LONG WHILE. HOWEVER, MORE SPECIFICALLY, USREP UNABLE TO UNDERSTAND WHY US PROPOSED ONLY A THREE-WEEK DELAY WHEN COUNCIL SCHEDULED DIPCON IN DEC. AND NOT ABLE TO UNDERSTAND WHY MAJOR INTERNATIONAL CONCERN WHICH DEVELOPED IN JANUARY/EUROPE JUST NOW BEING BROUGHT TO ATTENTION USREP AND ICAO. BASED ON US PROPOSAL FOR AN APRIL PREPARATORY WORKING GROUP (WHICH COUNCIL WAS MOST RELUCTANT TO ACCEPT), COUNCIL RECENTLY NAMED MEMBERS OF WG ON FEB 4, WHICH WOULD HAVE BEEN EXCELLENT TIME TO BRING UP POSTPONEMENT OF SEPT CONFERENCE.

4. NIGERIA, JAPAN AND OTHER COUNCIL REPS HAVE STATED REPEATEDLY THAT QUESTION NOT RIPE FOR CONFERENCE. IMMEDIATE EUROPE REACTIONS BETTER KNOWN BY LB THAN BY COUNCIL REPS/MONTREAL. THEREFORE, USREP FEELS IT WOULD BE INADVISABLE TO CONTACT COUNCIL REPS UNLESS WE HAVE A POSITION.

5. PARA 5 REFTTEL SAYS "US WOULD PUT TOGETHER OUR THOUGHTS." USREP HOPES THAT IS BEING DONE URGENTLY SO A WP CAN BE DISTRIBUTED.  
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